

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 624 - SB 820

March 15, 2013

SUMMARY OF BILL: Adds the adoptive parent of a biological parent of a child to the definition of grandparent for purposes of grandparent visitation.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- According to the Department of Children's Services, the bill will not affect the programs or operations of the Department. The fiscal impact on the Department will be not significant.
- According to the Administrative Office of the Courts, the increase in caseloads resulting from additional individuals filing petitions for visitation rights can be accommodated within existing judicial resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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